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Applicant(s) : BREITSCHWERDT et al.
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For : **DEVICE AND METHOD FOR ANISOTROPIC PLASMA ETCHING OF A SUBSTRATE, PARTICULARLY A SILICON ELEMENT**

Examiner : Lan VINH
Art Unit : 1765

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

SIR:

In the Office Action dated October 24, 2005, the Examiner required restriction to one of the following inventions:

Group I - claims 1-3

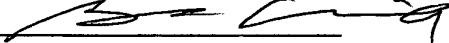
Group II - claims 4 and 5

Accordingly, applicants hereby elect, without traverse, the claims of Group II, i.e., claims 4 and 5.

An early and favorable action on the merits is earnestly solicited.

No fee is believed to be required. However, if any fee is required, please charge to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,
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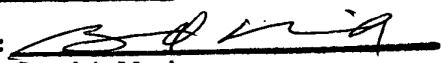
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